IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Brines et al. Confirmation No.: 7619

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For: TISSUE-PROTECTIVE CYTOKINES FOR

> THE PROTECTION, RESTORATION AND ENHANCEMENT OF RESPONSIVE CELLS, TISSUES AND ORGANS

Attorney Docket No: 10165-037-999

(formerly KW00-2B02-US)

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Date:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office communication mailed June 18, 2009 be extended for five (5) months from July 18, 2009 up to and including December 18, 2009.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$2350.00. Please charge the required fee to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 50-3013.

Respectfully submitted,

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